

Appl. No. 10/633,655
Supplemental Amendment
July 26, 2004

REMARKS

Claims 1-11 are pending in this reissue application. As previously indicated, the original Letters Patent was surrendered to the USPTO on March 26, 2004, in response to the *Ex parte Quayle* Action (Paper No. 2) dated on March 22, 2004. As a result, all claims should now be in condition for allowance.

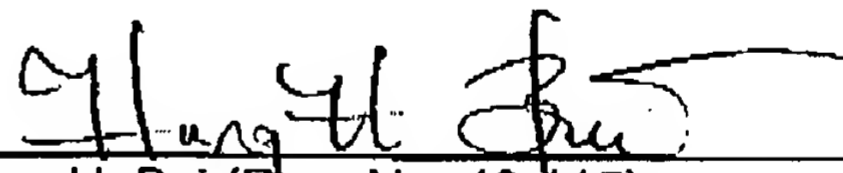
Separately, Applicants resubmit all claims 1-11 as pending, including the previously proposed amendments to base claims 1, 5 and 8 in bracket and underline (as opposed to strike-through and underline), as required by the Examiner. In view of such submission, Applicants respectfully request that all claims 1-11 be placed in condition for allowance.

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136. Please charge any shortage of fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the Deposit Account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, No. 01-2135 (Application No. 501.26379R00), and please credit any excess fees to said deposit account.

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